

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
TAKAMASA ISHII ET AL. ) : Examiner: Carolyn Igyarto  
Application No.: 10/576,349 ) : Group Art Unit: 2884  
Filed: April 18, 2006 ) : Confirmation No.: 7209  
For: RADIATION IMAGE PICK-UP )  
DEVICE AND METHOD :  
THEREFOR, AND RADIATION )  
IMAGE PICK-UP SYSTEM : July 12, 2007

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Applications, which can be viewed electronically:

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| 11/685,044             | March 12, 2007     | 2622                  |
| 11/680,736             | March 1, 2007      | 2884                  |
| 11/633,448             | December 5, 2006   | 2884                  |
| 11/683,184             | March 7, 2007      | 2884                  |

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner, and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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|   |  | <b>2006/0062352 A1</b> | <b>03/23/06</b>                           | <b>Nomura et al.</b>    | <b>378</b>                           | <b>98.8</b>          |                                 |
|   |  | <b>2006/0249763 A1</b> | <b>11/09/06</b>                           | <b>Mochizuki et al.</b> | <b>257</b>                           | <b>291</b>           |                                 |
|   |  | <b>7,205,568 B2</b>    | <b>04/17/07</b>                           | <b>Watanabe et al.</b>  | <b>257</b>                           | <b>59</b>            |                                 |
|   |  | <b>2006/0065944 A1</b> | <b>03/30/06</b>                           | <b>Mochizuki et al.</b> | <b>257</b>                           | <b>444</b>           |                                 |
|   |  | <b>2007/0045556 A1</b> | <b>03/01/07</b>                           | <b>Watanabe et al.</b>  | <b>250</b>                           | <b>370.14</b>        |                                 |
|   |  | <b>7,205,547 B2</b>    | <b>04/17/07</b>                           | <b>Ishii et al.</b>     | <b>250</b>                           | <b>370.09</b>        |                                 |
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